



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 6809.0102

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Adam W. CATES et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3762  
Application No.: 10/079,056 ) Examiner: Scott M. GETZOW  
Filed: February 19, 2002 )  
For: CHRONICALLY-IMPLANTED ) Confirmation No.: 5121  
DEVICE FOR SENSING AND )  
THERAPY )

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of September 1, 2005. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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